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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/US2005/003857		INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE February 7, 2005	PRIORITY DATE CLAMED OF THE February 5, 2004							
TITLE OF INVENTION										
RNAI THERAPEUTICS FOR TREATMENT OF EYE NEOVASCULARIZATION DISEASES  APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US										
TANG, et al.  Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:										
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